

State of California
Department of Parks and Recreation

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Planning and Research
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FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation
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PROJECT TITLE: Installation of Fence along Upper Willow Creek Road

LOCATION: Sonoma Coast State Beach

COUNTY: Sonoma

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:

Install 1500' of four-strand wire fence along the south side of upper Willow Creek Road approximately 2 miles northwest of the intersection of Willow Creek Road and Coleman Valley Road within Sonoma Coast State Beach. The fence will be supported by 6" diameter peeler poles sunk 24" into the ground. The purpose of the fence is to discourage illegal off-road vehicle access, which has been a problem in this area. Project supports continued use and visitor service.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: North Bay District

EXEMPT STATUS:

- ☐ Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
☐ Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
☐ Statutory Exemption (Section:)
☒ Categorical Exemption

Class: 3 Section: 15303

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:

Project consists of the construction and installation of limited numbers of new, small facilities, and is included as "fencing" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities, in accordance with CCR 15300.4.

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